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#### BOX PATENT APPLICATION

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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the nonprovisional patent application

| For (Title):      | METHOD OF FABRICATING HONEYCOMB BODY AND DRYING SYSTEM |  |
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| $\bowtie$ | Formal drawings (Figs. <u>1-6</u> ; <u>6</u> sheets) are attached.                    |
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|           | Use Figure for front page of Publication.   |
|           | A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith.                                |
|           | This patent application is assigned to 1) DENSO CORPORATION 2) MICRO DENSHI CO., LTD. |
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An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith.

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence -- This nonprovisional application claims

the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.
Priority of foreign applications No. 2001-7930 filed January 16, 2001 in Japan and No. 2001-370395 filed December 4, 2001 in Japan are claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application(s) is filed herewith. This application is NOT to be published under 35 U.S.C. 112(b). The undersigned attorney or agent hereby certifies

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| x 42 =       | \$     | <u>OR</u> |  |  |
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